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In response to the Office Action dated January 21, 2004, enclosed please find the Response Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC700). A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

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Sir

This is in response to the Office Action of January 21, 2004. Therefore, this Response is being filed on or before the current due date of March 22, 2004 (March 21, 2004 being a Sunday). Reconsideration of the above-referenced patent application is respectfully requested in 16th of the following Amendments and Remarks.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.